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THE

South-Carolina GAZETTE.

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestick,

From MONDAY April 25th, to WEDNESDAY April 27th, 1748.

We have acknowledged the Receipt of [illegible] by the Name of *Philaretes*, by Mistake.

Felix quem faciunt aliena pericula cautum.

Mr. *Timothy*,

THE Governor's *Speech to the Council and Assembly* the 15th Day of *March* last (when the £40,000 Bill for defraying the Expence of guarding the Coast, for securing the Trade of this Province, was presented for Assent) and the Governor's *Answer to the Address* of the Assembly on the 9th Instant, having, in the Manner you have given them to us in your last Paper, afforded a Subject for Remark, if not you, will give me Room in your next to offer something on His Excellency's Behalf.

To mention therefore the principal Points, it is said, 1. That some Things which *were* said, are *omitted*, both in the Speech and in the Answer to the Address. That the Omissions in the former are evident, by comparing the Speech with the Report made by the Speaker to the Assembly, as printed in the same Paper. And that the Omissions in the latter would appear as evident, if we could see the Report. 2dly, That the Speech and Answer differ also in Substance from what were delivered, as appears particularly in the Speech, upon making the like Comparison; the Governor therein saying, "That he would answer the Demands of those that were most pressing for Payment, even at his own private Fortune;" and the Speaker reporting, that he said, "He would satisfy all the Demands that should be made out of his private Fortune." To which it is subjoin'd, "and not even the most pressing can obtain Payment." 3dly, That there is a Contradiction in the Answer to the Address; the Governor therein saying, "That he approved of the Bill," and "That if there had been no Restraint upon him from his Majesty to give his Assent to it, yet the fatal Consequences of such Measures in other Parts of *America*, were so many Beacons to warn, and make him cautious." And 4thly, That there is not the least Foundation in the Address (which is printed also in the same Paper) for that great Satisfaction, which is expressed in the Governor's Answer, for the Approbation and Thanks that his Care of the Public Welfare had merited, and for the Alacrity of his Services; the Words of the Address being simply these, viz. "We beg Leave to return our Thanks for your calling us together at this Time, to receive the Advice of His Majesty's Intentions, in some important Affairs."

Now, in Answer to the 1st Remark, as his Excellency's Speech and Answer to the Address do not appear to be printed Cases, or to be signed by him, or certified by a Clerk, in like Manner as the Speaker's Report, and the Address do appear to be, I am certainly at Liberty, say we might, to suppose, that these are not authentic; but rather that you have taken up what imperfect Copies from some one or other present at the Delivery of them, who took Notes in short Hand, and perhaps was hard of Hearing. ——To the 2d, I answer in like Manner, as to the Remark itself. But with Respect to the Remark made to it, "That even the most pressing can obtain Payment," I could wish you had not said any at all could expect it. When his Excellency assured the Assembly, that he would satisfy all the Demands that should be made, out of his private Fortune, no Doubt he acted with Reason, that they would not suffer their Governor to do such a Thing as especially as he told them, "they had in the Encouragement given him to provide for the whole Expence." But seeing they seem inclinable to suffer him, he is wiser than to do it. I know it is said by People that deal in nothing but Cash and ready Money, "That the Owners of the Sloops that cruized for our Protection, have nothing to do with the Point in Question between the Governor and the Assembly, if they don't agree in a Month or a Year; and that Vessels can't be repaired and fitted again to go without Money." But every Tub stand on it's own Bottom. To the 3d Remark I answer, the Contradiction is indeed so great, that no one, I think, will in Earnest believe the Governor uttered it. In Fact, his Excellency refused his Assent to the Bill, therefore he did not approve of it. And this alone will suffice to prove the Interpolation of your Copy. To the 4th Remark I answer, surely his Excellency's Penetration, is too well known for us to suppose that he could so much as *wish* for Applause to himself, in the Assembly's Thanks *already* for calling them together. You must therefore certainly, Mr. *Timothy*, have left out a Compliment that was paid to his Excellency's Services and Care and Pains for the Welfare of the Province. Which is very surprizing; for there was nothing to restrain him in all the Address.

I can't conclude without expressing the Pleasure it gives me, that the Governor, in this same Speech to the Council and Assembly, says, "he took the two Sloops into Pay for our Protection, by "the Advice of His Majesty's Council." Which I find in the Speaker's Report in much the same Words, viz. "That before "he had hired the two Sloops for that Purpose, he had taken the "Opinion and Advice of His Majesty's Council." That there were some Gentlemen (who it was presumed *must know*) that ventured to affirm the *Contrary*; and upon *their* Authority, the same was generally *believed*. But who now will believe them? For can any one imagine, that the Governor would say, in the Hearing of the Council, that he *had* their Advice for it, if in fact he had not? A slight Matter, whether the Governor imprested the two Sloops *with*, or *without* the Advice of the Council. And therefore I am glad to see that Matter cleared up. For to suppose, that the Governor would do so high an Act of Government *without* the Advice of his Council, is supposing [illegible] that even His Majesty himself ever did, or I dare say ever will do. And can only be proper [illegible] (For every one below the Rank of [illegible] hath Reason) [illegible] shews a Thing obtained Credit, [illegible] in some Measure affect our Conduct, by making some Strangers hesitate for the future of sending their Vessels here? [illegible] the Gentlemen very different to the Owners of the Sloops impressed. For if they had been impressed [illegible] the Assembly would not fall upon any other Means of providing Payment for them; And if his Excellency should think of obtaining his Majesty's Leave to give his Assent to the [illegible] Bill, he would be obliged to [illegible] till [illegible] longer than 40 Months. Whereas, seeing we are assured, that they were impressed with the Advice of Council, [illegible] Assembly would fall upon some Method for their Payment. Or if [illegible] to make some other Provision for their Payment. [illegible] Cases that Mistakes [illegible] Payment from the [illegible] I am, Sir, your [illegible] has [illegible]

Paris, Feb. 2. We learn from Strasburgh, that [illegible] Sieur Schmettau there was several [illegible] Officers of that Garrison [illegible]

CHARLES-TOWN, *April* 27.

On Sunday the 24th Inſtant departed this Life, *Benjamin Godin*, Eſq; formerly an eminent Merchant of this Place, but of late Years, (after having acquired a plentiful Eſtate) had retired from Buſineſs, and lived for the moſt part at his Country-Seat in *Gooſe-Creek*. A Gentleman of unblemiſhed Character for Integrity, Benevolence, and every Moral Virtue: A good Neighbour, A ſincere Friend, A kind and indulgent Huſband, A tender Parent, and a valuable Member of this Community.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, Charles-Town, *Enter'd Inwards.*

Ship Prince of Orange, William Adams, from London.
Ship Venus, Robert Frankling, from Madeira.
Ship St. Andrew, James Abercrombie, from Boſton.
Ship Phœnix, John Maſon, and
Sloop Hobcaw, Thomas Beazley, from Philadelphia.
Brigt. Charles-Town, James Rodger, from Antigua.

Entered Outwards.

Ship Townſend, Robert Marſhal, for London.
Ship St. Philip, Samuel Ball, for Dartmouth.
Snow Nancy, William Norris, for Leith.
Billander Amelia, George Story, for Briſtol.
Sloop Sally, Jeremiah Higgs, for Jamaica.

Clear'd for Departure.

Ship Anne, William Bound, to Liſbon.
Billander Prince William, William Campbell, to Briſtol.
Brigt. Recovery, James Mackenzie, to Leith.

EXPORTED from this Place, ſince the firſt of *November* laſt, the following Goods, of the Produce of this Province.

Rice, 38,116 Barrils.	Tann'd Leather, 5,597 Sides.
Pitch, 2,914 Barrils.	Beef & Pork, 3,847 Barrels.
Tar, 775 Barrils.	Corn & Peaſe, 8,010 Buſhels.
Turpentine, 1407 Barrels.	Indigo, 128,563 *lb.*
Deer-Skins, 428 Hhds.	

Market Price at Charleſtown, of the following Goods, of the Produce and Manufacture of this Province.

Rice per 100 Wt. 40 *ſ.* 0	Deer-Skins, per *lb.* 16 *ſ.* 6
Pitch per Barrel, 35 *ſ.*	Indigo, 20 *ſ.*
Tar, 30 *ſ.*	Corn per Buſhel, 15 *ſ.* 0
Turpentine, 9 *ſ.* 0	Peaſe, 12 *ſ.* 6
Rosin, 8 *ſ.*	Gallah Syl per Quart, 12 *ſ.* 6
Pork, 9 *l.*	Staves, per 1000, 15 to 20 *l.*
Beef, 5 *l.*	

ADVERTISEMENTS.

IMPORTED in the *Lucretia*, Capt. *Chaſe*, new Flour in half and quarter Barrels, brown and midling Bread, white, ſeed, milk and butter Biſcuit, and Chocolate: Alſo imported in the *Venus*, Capt. *Frankling*, choice Madeira Wine, to be ſold either by the Pipe, quarter Pipe or three Gallons, in Tradd-Street, by *John McCall.*

STOLEN or ſtrayed from *Charles-Town* ſeveral Months ago, a dark or black trotting Horſe, branded with a large H on the mounting Shoulder, he formerly belong'd to Mr. *Meridith Hughes* at *Winyaw*. Whoever will bring the ſaid Horſe to me in *Charles-Town*, ſhall receive 5 *l.* or a greater Reward.

John McCall.

JUST IMPORTED in the *Venus*, Capt. *Robert Frankling*, from *Madeira*, a choice Parcel of Wine, to be ſold by *Stead* and *Evance*.

STOLEN on *Sunday* the 24th of this Inſtant *April*, out of the Houſe of the late *Benjamin Godin*, Eſq; the Sum of *L.* 311: 10: 6, in Paper Currency of this Province, ſuppoſed to be ſtolen by Negroes. All Perſons to whom any large Bills may be offered by any Negro, are deſired to ſtop the ſame and give Immediate Notice to Mr. *Godin*'s Executors: And whoever ſhall diſcover any Perſon or Perſons concern'd in the ſaid Theft, ſo as he, ſhe or they be convicted of the ſame, and the ſaid Money recovered, ſhall receive 20 *l.* Reward.

N.B. That in the ſaid Sum of Money there were ſeveral *Fifty Pounds* Certificates.

All Perſons poſſeſſed of *Anthony* or *Mary Sturgeon*'s promiſary Notes, are deſired to bring them in to receive Currency for them.

WHEREAS *John Jacob Remenſperger*, will depart this Province in a Month from this Date, for *Holland*, in order to proceed from thence to *Germany*, *Switzerland*, &c. Notice is hereby given to all Perſons inclinable to write to their Friends, &c. in thoſe Parts, that their Letters will be taken due Care of being left with the *Printer* of this Paper.

STRAY'D or ſtolen from the Green near the Barracks, on the 12th Inſtant, a White Gelding, and little ſheep bitten, nine Years old, branded obſcurely on the left Buttock with this Brand , a ſmall Speck in the left Eye, a Rowell Mark on the ſide of his Breaſt, a Hole in his right fore hoof, and a ſmall Crack upwards, paces a traveling Pace, carries his Head and Tail well when mounted, or in a Chair always holds his Head up, and out from him when he eats Corn. Whoever brings the ſaid Gelding to the Barracks, or delivers him to Meſſrs. *Stiel* and *Hume* in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have Ten Pounds Reward.

STOLEN or Stray'd from Mr. *Peter May's* Plantation at *Waſſamſaw*, a likely Bay Gelding, branded on the Shoulder 2y with a Star in his Forehead and Snip on his Noſe the near fore and off hind Feet white. Whoever takes up the ſaid Gelding, and delivers him to the Subſcriber at his Plantation at *Gooſe-Creek*, ſhall have Four Pounds as a Reward.

Maurice Keating.

TO BE SOLD, two Tracts of Land, containing 200 and 1000 Acres, and an half Acre Lot all lying in the Townſhip of *Williamſburgh*, joining the Lands of Mr. *William James* and Mr. *James Armſtrong*. Whoſoever hath a mind to purchaſe the ſame, may treat either with *Deborah Fiſher* at her Plantation on *Cainhoy*, or *Joſeph Moody* in *Charles-Town*, where the Plats may be ſeen.

RUN AWAY from the Subſcriber, a Negro Man named *Dick*, and a Wench named *Amelia*, both formerly belonging to Capt. *Beauchamp* deceaſed; the Fellow is ſtrong and well made, the Wench is big with Child, and ſpeaks good Engliſh; they are ſuppoſed to be gone towards *Santee* or to the Neighbourhood of their old Maſter's Plantation at *Pon-Pon*. Whoever takes them up and brings them to me; or to the Work-houſe, ſhall be rewarded ſufficiently, and whoever harbours them ſhall be proſecuted.

RUN AWAY from my Service, an old Negro Man, named Briſtol, ſpeaks good *Engliſh*, is lame on one Hip, and walks limping. Any body that brings him to me, ſhall have 40 *ſh.* upon Demand. *Thomas Wright.*

N.B. I have a ſmall Schooner about one Year old, Burthen about 120 Barrels of Rice under Deck, to ſell.

TO BE SOLD the 4th Day of *May*, for ready Money, by the Subſcribers on *John's-Iſland*, at the Plantation of *Paul Torquet* late of the ſame Place deceaſed, all and ſingular the Goods and Chattels of the ſaid Deceaſed, conſiſting of Negroes and ſome Houſhold Goods.

Thomas Weatherley, Adminiſtrator,
Mary Weatherley, Adminiſtratrix.

N.B. At the ſame Time and Place, will be ſold by *Thomas Weatherley*, five Negroes under Mortgage from Mr. *Caleb Knight*.

THESE are to deſire all Perſons who are indebted to me the Subſcriber, by Bond, Note, or Book-Debt, that they will diſcharge the ſame by the firſt Day of *June* next, and thoſe who have it not in their Power to diſcharge their reſpective Debts to me, I deſire would come and ſettle their Accompts to my Satisfaction, by giving me ſuch Security as I ſhall approve of; Thoſe who neglect to do as above deſired, will be then ſued without further Notice. And as I intend to remove my Family to *Charles-Town* by the Time above mentioned, I have to lett, on very reaſonable Terms, the Houſe wherein I now live in *Dorcheſter*, together with its Store, Rice-Stores (ſufficient to contain 1000 Barrels of Rice, well ſecured,) Wharff, Paſture, Garden, &c. Alſo the Houſe next Door to it, wherein Doct. *Dewick* lately lived, very convenient for a private Family. And two deck'd Pettiaguas, with eight Negroes, ſix of which are capable of managing a Boat very well. Whoever hath a mind to hire or purchaſe any of the Premiſes, may treat with me at *Dorcheſter*.

RICHARD BAKER.

AS I purpoſe to teach Drawing and Embroidery, this is to give Notice, that I ſhall open School the firſt of *May* next, at Miſs *Elizabeth Murphy's* in *King-Street*, where good Attendance ſhall be given, and the Scholars carefully inſtructed. I will alſo take in Drawing and plain Work, Waſhing and Ironing Ladies Head-Cloaths, in the beſt Manner and at a reaſonable Rate, and ſhall be much obliged to any Lady that will favour me with their Cuſtom. ☞ *Magdalene Hamilton.*

RUN AWAY from the Subſcriber, a very yellow Muſtee Wench, tall and ſlim, and aged about 22 Years, named *Sue*, formerly belonging to Mr. *John Rivers* and ſince to *Francis Hext*, jun. had Variety of Cloathing with her, and pretends to be free; Alſo her Huſband named *Quamino*, a well ſet black Fellow and by Trade a Cooper, both ſuppoſed to be harboured about *Charles-Town*. Whoever ſecures and delivers them to me, or carries them to the Work-Houſe, ſhall have 10 *l.* Reward ☞ *Iſaac Nicholes.*

JUST IMPORTED in the Phœnix, Capt. *John Maſon*, from *Philadelphia*, and to be ſold by the Subſcriber, at a Store on Elliott's Wharff, new Flour, *Matlock's* Beer, Soap, Chocolate, and a new neat Chair with an Iron Axel-tree. Likewiſe Three Years Time of a likely Servant Man, a Perukemaker by Trade, ☞ *Thomas Croſthwaite.*

TO BE SOLD at Vendue, by the Subſcriber, at his Houſe on *Aſhley-River*, on Monday the 9th of *May* next, at eleven in the Forenoon, for ready money, about twenty Head of black Cattle, belonging to *Charles Weſt* late of this Province. ☞ *John Drayton.*

TO BE SOLD at Public Vendue, for ready Money, on Thurſday the 19th Day of *May* next, at the Plantation of *James Berrie* deceaſed at Ponpon, all the Perſonal Eſtate of of the ſaid *James Berrie*, conſiſting of upwards of Thirty valuable Slaves, Cattle, Horſes, Houſhold Goods, *&c.* And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate have hereby Notice, and are required forthwith to pay their reſpective Debts to the Subſcriber: And all Perſons having any Demands on the ſaid Eſtate, are hereby deſired to leave a State thereof in the Hands of Mr. *Jonathan Scott* in *Charles-Town*, or to convey the ſame to the Subſcriber, in order that proper Meaſures may be taken to diſcharge them ſpeedily ☞ *Miller St. John*, Adminiſtrator.

LIONEL CHALMERS deſires all Perſons indebted to him, to diſcharge their Accompts by the 10th Day of *May* next.

GOOD INDIGO SEED to be Sold by ☞ *James Michie.*

RUN AWAY the 4th Inſtant *April* from the Subſcriber, a tall, likely young Muſtee Slave, Cooper, Carpenter, and Sawyer. Whoever will apprehend and deliver him to the Subſcriber his Maſter, or to the Warden of the Work-houſe, ſhall receive 5 *l.* Reward, and reaſonable Charges ☞ *John Man.*

AT *William Cattell's* Landing on *Aſhley-River*, is a Cyprus Canow, about 15 Feet long, 3 Feet and half wide, taken up near *Aſhley-Ferry*; ſhe has been well built, and has two Auger Holes in Head and Stern. The Owner may have her, paying the Charge of this Advertiſement. ☞

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of the late *Abraham Chardonnet* deceaſed, are deſired to pay their reſpective Debts to the Subſcriber, and all to whom the Eſtate is indebted, are deſired to bring in their Accompts properly atteſted, to ☞ *Joſeph Girardin*, Adminiſtrator.

Mr. *Daniel Mallett* adverties a Mouſe colour'd Mare about 12 Hands high, and a Mouſe coloured Horſe Colt, about 13 Hands high, both without Brand or Fleſh-Mark, and one iron grey colour'd Horſe Colt, about 2 Years old, unbranded, with a Roach, part of his Tail, and the near hind Leg white. Whoever owns the above Mare and Colts may have them again, proving their Property and paying lawful Charges. ☞ *Patrick Mackay.*

A Sorrel Horſe, about 14 Hands high, branded VA on the off Shoulder. Whoever claims him, may prove their Property before ☞ *Charles Hill.*

ON the 24th Day of May *next, will be*

Expoſed to Sale, at *Dorcheſter*, at the Dwelling-houſe of *Edward Vanvelſen* deceaſed, all the real and perſonal Eſtate of the ſaid Deceaſed, conſiſting of Field Slaves, Houſe Wenches, ſeveral good Shoe-makers and Tanners, with a Tan-yard, a parcel of Bark, Oyl, and a large Quantity of Hides not yet fit to take out, 83 Acres of Land near *Dorcheſter*, well wooded and part under good Fence, three Lots in that Town, each conthining a Quarter of an Acre, ſome Houſhold Goods, Cattle and Horſes: For Credit 'till the firſt Day of *January* next (except Sums under 20 *l.* which muſt be paid on the Spot) paying Intereſt and giving approved Security to

Catherine Vanvelſen, Executrix.
George Sommers, *William Carruthers*, } Executors.

N.B. All Perſons to whom the ſaid Eſtate is indebted, are deſired to bring in their Accompts properly atteſted, and thoſe indebted to it, to diſcharge the ſame by the Day of Sale at fartheſt, that Meaſures may be taken to ſatisfy the Creditors.

His Majeſty's Ship Adventure *in* Port-Royal *Harbour*, April 13*th*, 1748.

WHEREAS the Four Men under-mentioned, belonging to His Majeſty's Ship *Adventure*, ſtole a Canow and ran from the ſaid Ship the 11th Inſtant at Night, This is to give Notice, that whoever apprehends and ſecures them or either of them, is entitled to a Reward of *Fifteen Pounds* Currency for each Man.

James Hale, 24 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, a well made ſtrong Man, ruddy Complexion, by Trade a Butcher.

Thomas Eddy, 24 Years of Age, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, a ſlender Man, with red ſore Eyes.

Mark Matthews, 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches, a well made Man, with light brown Hair, freckled in the Face and Hands, by Trade a Glover and Leather-Breeches-maker

John Jenkins, 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a black Complexion, by Trade a Shoe-maker.

The two laſt Men are Marines belonging to the Honourable Col. *Herbert's* Regiment. " *JOSEPH HAMAR.*

RUN-AWAY on the 17th Inſtant, and ſuppoſed to be gone in a Canow to the Southward, two *Angola* Negro Men, one named *Moſes*, middle ſiz'd, his Country Name *Mourzigo*, had on a Linnen Jacket, broad Cloth Breeches with ſilver'd thread Buttons, and a woollen mill'd Cap; the other a tall, luſty and elderly Fellow, named *Sampſon*, his Country Name *Ocina*, had on a blue woollen Jacket and black Breeches. Whoever delivers them to me in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have 10 *l.* Reward for each, beſides reaſonable Charges. " *Daniel Bourget.*

A Wharff, now under the Direction of Mr. *Henry Bedon*, to be lett, by " *Elizabeth Gibbes.*

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber, at Col. *Robert Auſtin's* Store on the Bay, a choice parcel of Sugar and Rum, either by Wholeſale or Retail.

" *Auſtin Robert Lockton.*

STOLEN or ſtray'd from Mr. Hurſt's Plantation on *Gooſe-Creek* Road, about 18 Months ago, a bay Horſe 13 Hands high, with a Blaze in his Face, one hind Leg white, and a ſaddle ſpot on each ſide, branded on the mounting ſhoulder B, and on the off ſhoulder with SS and the Mark of a ſmall Indian ſtirrup. *ALSO* the 2d Inſtant, from off the Green, a ſorrel Horſe 13 Hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder CB joined together, and on the off Buttock SG. Whoever delivers them to me in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have 3 *l.* Reward for each. " *Richard Watkins*, Stay-maker.

RUN-AWAY from the Subſcriber, a tall yellow Fellow, named *Sampſon*, lately belonging to Mr. *John Mackenzie*, jun. had on when he went away, a blue Pea Jacket, and Leather Breeches. Whoever takes up the ſaid Fellow and delivers him to the Warden of the Work-houſe, or to me in *Chriſt-Church* Pariſh, ſhall have 5 *l.* Reward. *Charles Barkſdale.*

STOLEN off Charles-Town *Green the* 2d Inſtant, a bay Horſe with a black Main and Tail, branded on the off Buttock H. Whoever brings him to me, ſhall have 5 *l.* Reward. " *Thomas Weaver.*